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Marc O. SCHURR et al.		Group Art Unit: 3731
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

In reply to the Office Action dated November 14, 2005, the period for response to which extends through February 14, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the claim amendment section of this paper.